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ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY		STATE CASE NUMBER
NAME <b>Sydney Rachel Wilkov</b>		
FIRM NAME		
STREET ADDRESS <b>165 E. Barnett St.</b>		
CITY <b>Ventura</b>	STATE <b>CA</b>	ZIP CODE <b>93001</b>
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<b>SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF Ventura</b> STREET ADDRESS <b>800 South Victoria Avenue</b> MAILING ADDRESS CITY AND ZIP CODE <b>Ventura 93009</b> BRANCH NAME <b>Hall of Justice</b>		
PETITION OF (name) <b>Sydney Rachel Wilkov</b>		
<b>PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME, RECOGNITION OF CHANGE OF GENDER, AND ISSUANCE OF NEW BIRTH CERTIFICATE</b>		CASE NUMBER

**Before you complete this petition, you should read the *Instructions for Filing* on the next page. You must answer all questions and check all boxes that apply to you on this petition. You must file this petition in the superior court of the county where the person whose name is to be changed resides.**

- Petitioner (present name): **Sydney Rachel Wilkov** is 18 years old or older and a resident of this county.
- Petitioner requests that the court decree that petitioner's name is changed, in order to conform to petitioner's gender identity, to (proposed name): **Syd Reese Clark**
- Petitioner requests a decree recognizing that the petitioner's gender is changed to:
  - ☐ female
  - ☒ male
  - ☐ nonbinary
- Petitioner requests that the court order that a new birth certificate be issued reflecting the gender and name changes sought by this petition.
- Petitioner requests that the court issue an order directing any interested persons to file written objections to show cause why the petition for change of name should not be granted.
- Petitioner provides the following information in support of this petition:
  - The declaration below.
  - The information contained in the attachment (attach a completed copy of the attachment Name and Information About the Person Whose Name Is to Be Changed (form NC-110)).

DECLARATION	
I (present name): <b>Sydney Rachel Wilkov</b> declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of California that the request for a change in gender to (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> female <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> male <input type="checkbox"/> nonbinary is to conform my legal gender to my gender identity and is not for any fraudulent purpose.	
Date:  <b>Sydney Rachel Wilkov</b> <small>(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF PETITIONER)</small>	 <small>(SIGNATURE OF PETITIONER)</small>

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## INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING A PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME AND GENDER

**1. Where to File**

The petition for change of name and gender must be filed in the superior court in the county where the petitioner is a resident.

**2. Whose Name May Be Changed**

The petition may be used to change your name and to obtain a court order recognizing a change of gender and for issuance of a new birth certificate, if you are 18 or older (Minors must use form NC-500.) If you were born in California, you may file the order with the State Registrar and obtain a new birth certificate.

**3. What Forms Are Required**

You need an original and two copies of each of the following documents:

- Petition for Change of Name, Recognition of Change of Gender, and Issuance of New Birth Certificate* (form NC-200)
- Name and Information About the Person Whose Name Is to Be Changed (Attachment to Petition)* (form NC-110)
- Order to Show Cause for Change of Name to Conform to Gender Identity* (form NC-125/NC-225)
- Decree Changing Name and Order Recognizing Change of Gender Identity and for Issuance of New Birth Certificate* (form NC-230)
- Civil Case Cover Sheet* (form CM-010)

**4. Filing and Filing Fee**

Prepare an original *Civil Case Cover Sheet* (form CM-010). File the original petition and *Civil Case Cover Sheet* with the clerk of the court and obtain two filed-endorsed copies of the petition. A filing fee will be charged unless you qualify for a fee waiver. (If you want to apply for a fee waiver, see *Request to Waive Court Fees* (form FW-001) and *Information Sheet on Waiver of Superior Court Fees and Costs* (form FW-001-INFO).)

**5. Filing the Order to Show Cause**

Ask the court clerk to obtain a judge's signature on the *Order to Show Cause*, then file the original order in the clerk's office and obtain filed-endorsed copies of the order.

**6. Domestic Violence Confidentiality Program**

In cases where the petitioner is a participant in the state address confidentiality program (Safe at Home), the petition, the order to show cause, and the decree should, instead of giving the proposed name, indicate that the name is confidential and on file with the Secretary of State. See *Information Sheet for Name Change Proceedings Under Address Confidentiality Program* (Safe at Home) (form NC-400-INFO).

**7. Court Hearing**

If no objections are filed, the court will grant the petition without a hearing. A hearing date will be set if timely objections have been filed. If there is a hearing, you will be sent a notice by the court. You may also check with the court after the deadline to see if a hearing date has been set. Bring copies of all documents to the hearing. If the judge grants the name and gender change petition, the judge will sign the original decree.

**8. Birth Certificate**

If you were born in California, to obtain a new birth certificate reflecting the change of gender, file a certified copy of the order within 30 days with the Secretary of State and the State Registrar and pay the applicable fees. You may write or contact the State Registrar at:

California Department of Public Health  
Vital Records – MS 5103  
P.O. Box 997410  
Sacramento, CA 95899-7410  
Phone: 916-445-2684  
Website: [www.cdph.ca.gov](http://www.cdph.ca.gov)

Local courts may supplement these instructions. Check with the court to determine whether supplemental information is available. For instance, the court may provide you with additional written information identifying the department that handles name and gender change petitions, and the times when petitions are heard.

PETITION OF (Name of petitioner or petitioners). <b>Sydney Rachel Wilkov</b>	CASE NUMBER
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FOR CHANGE OF NAME

**NAME AND INFORMATION ABOUT THE PERSON  
WHOSE NAME IS TO BE CHANGED**

Attachment of

Attachment to Petition (form NC-100, form NC-200, or form NC-500)

(You must use a **separate** attachment for each person whose name is to be changed. If petitioner is a guardian of a minor, a supplemental attachment, Declaration of Guardian (form NC-110G), must also be completed and attached for each minor whose name is to be changed.)

7. (Continued) Petitioner applies for a decree to change the name of the following person:

b. ☒ Self ☐ Other(1) Present name (specify): **Sydney Rachel Wilkov**(2) Proposed name (specify): **Syd Reese Clark**(3) Born on (date of birth) **09/26/1999**and presently ☐ under 18 years of age ☒ over 18 years of age(4) Born at (place of birth): **Ventura, CA**(5) Sex (as stated on original birth certificate): ☐ Male ☒ Female

(6) Current residence address (street, city, county and zip code):

**165 E. Barnett St. Ventura, Ventura County 93001**

c. Reason for name change (explain):

**To match my identity.**

d. Relationship of the petitioner to the person whose name will be changed:

(1) ☒ self(4) ☐ near relative (indicate relationship):(2) ☐ parent(5) ☐ Other (specify):(3) ☐ guardian

e. If the person whose name will be changed is under 18 years of age, provide the names and addresses if known, of the following persons.

(1) Parent (name):

(address):

(2) Parent (name):

(address):

(3) (Only if neither parent is living) Near relatives (names, relationships, and addresses):

f. If the person whose name will be changed is 18 years of age or older, that person must sign the following declaration:

**DECLARATION**

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that (check one) ☒ I am not ☐ I am under the jurisdiction of the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (in state prison or on parole) or in county jail and (check one) ☒ I am not ☐ I am required to register as a sex offender under Penal Code section 290.

Date: **10/15/2020****Sydney Rachel Wilkov**

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF PERSON WHOSE NAME IS TO BE CHANGED)

(SIGNATURE OF PERSON WHOSE NAME IS TO BE CHANGED)

(If petitioner is represented by an attorney, the attorney's signature follows):

Date

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)

(SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY)

(Each petitioner must sign this petition in the space provided below or, if additional pages are attached, at the end of the last attachment.) I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information in the foregoing petition is true and correct.

Date: **10/15/2020****Sydney Rachel Wilkov**

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)

(SIGNATURE OF PETITIONER)

Date.

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)

(SIGNATURE OF PETITIONER)

☐ ADD ADDITIONAL SIGNATURE LINES FOR ADDITIONAL PETITIONERS☐ SIGNATURE OF PETITIONERS FOLLOWS LAST ATTACHMENT

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